

Task

Overview

In celebration of Holocaust Memorial Day, the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum has created a challenge, offering middle school students the ability to create interactive online memorials. Due to the abundance of information you have learned within your social studies, art, music, and English classes, you and your team will join this challenge. You and the rest of your team will each create a memorial that you believe best captures the significance of the Holocaust. You will have the option of memorializing an individual, a character within a story we have read, individuals from a specific setting, such as a concentration camp or a ghetto, or individuals who escaped the camps. You will become a historical web designer and use the resources you have worked with throughout the unit to create a Capzles memorial. Consider the information that had the greatest impact upon how you view the Holocaust, and reapply this to create a memorial that honors the individuals lost. Once you have created your memorial, you will invite community members to view your work, in addition to the panel of judges from the Holocaust Memorial Museum. Share your memorial with your community and the judges, and explain the choices you made in creating this representation. Once the judges have viewed each individual's work, they will vote upon the memorial that they believe best commemorates the lives lost during the Holocaust. The judges will later choose one memorial to be posted upon the museum's website.



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